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Amendments to the Specification

Please replace paragraph [0005] with the following amended paragraph:

[0005] At present, many of such services are available. For instance, the service provided by Central Co.'s RealNames web site (Central Co. ~~http://www.realnames.com~~) substitutes short "keywords" for complicated Internet addresses, or URLs, and has already offered its service through Microsoft's Internet Explorer Web browser and MSN Web portal. Microsoft also announced the inclusion of RealNames in its Web browser software. RealNames' service is an Internet equivalent to America Online's popular keyword system, part of its proprietary online service. The system allows AOL members to type a common phrase to find specific content channels. Similarly, Network Agent software (~~http://www.network.com~~) also allows a user to enter Internet keyword instead of a URL. In addition, Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) is developing an Internet keywords standard. The IETF already has formed a working group devoted to devising a "common name resolution protocol," or a standard way of implementing Web keywords.

Please replace paragraph [0016] with the following amended paragraph:

[0016] The system and method may also process telephone number input and get to a relevant website corresponding to the registered telephone number. If a person's name (either in Chinese or English) is entered, the person's web-card may be retrieved from a remote webcard server, ~~such as the one provided by http://www.lets-card.com,~~ or any other similar servers. These aspects of the invention are ~~closed~~ disclosed in other corresponding patent applications of the same applicant.

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Please replace paragraph [0033] with the following amended paragraph:

[0033] FIG. 3 shows the process performed by the user end software of the present invention. The user end software inject into all running processes use win 32 hook technology. A hook is a point in the Microsoft.RTM. Windows message-handling mechanisms where an application can install a subroutine or a separate module to monitor the message traffic in the system and process certain types of messages. A hook procedure can be global, monitoring messages for all threads in the system, or it can be thread specific, monitoring messages for an individual thread. Some hooks may be set with system scope only (e.g. WH_SYSMSGFILTER), but most hooks have either system or thread scope. Teachings on the use of Win32 hooks may be ~~found~~ obtained from Microsoft, for example, at Microsoft.RTM. MSND ~~web site~~ (~~http://www.microsoft.com~~).